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ANNUAL REPORTS

TOWN OF

HAMPSTEAD

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

JANUARY 31,

1931

Uniform Municipal Accounts, Law of 1917, Chapt. 57

ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

SELECTMEN, TREASURER, COLLECTOR, HIGHWAY AGENTS AND BOARD OF EDUCATION AND TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY, TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

OF THE

Town of Hampstead

For The Year Ending January 31, 1931

TOGETHER WITH

THE VITAL STATISTICS FOR THE YEAR 1930

AS PREPARED BY THE TOWN CLERK

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TOWN OFFICERS, 1930.

ELECTED BIENNIALLY

Moderator

GEORGE A DEARTH

Representative to General Court

FRANK W. EMERSON

Supervisors

HENRY W. TABOR JOHN C. SANBORN

ALBION D. EMERSON

ELECTED ANNUALLY

Town Clerk

CHARLES A. BROOKS

Selectmen

JOHN A. HUTTON MAURICE I. RANDALL

EVERETT C. MILLS

Treasurer

ADIN E. LITTLE

Board of Education

JOHN S. CORSON MARY N. LITTLEFIELD

THORNDIKE PUTNAM

Highway Agent

STEPHEN J. PRATT

Collector of Taxes

THORNDIKE PUTNAM

Board of Health

JOSIAH B. EASTMAN and SELECTMEN

Chief of Police

GILMAN L. BUCKLAND

Auditors

WILLIAM A. EMERSON LEWIS C. DARLING

GEORGE LITTLEFIELD

Library Committee

LUCIUS M. DARBEE

JOHN S. CORSON

CHARLES H. LITTLEFIELD, Jr.

Memorial Day Committee

ADIN S. LITTLE MAURICE I. RANDALL

GILMAN L. BUCKLAND

Trustees of Cemeteries

IRVING LEIGHTON ROBERT HART

DAVID F. BICKFORD

Trustees of Trust Funds

JOHN S. CORSON CHAS. H. LITTLEFIELD, Jr.

FRANK W. EMERSON

Budget Committee

FORREST O. BAILEY WILLIAM A. EMERSON

ALBION D. EMERSON GEO. M. LITTLEFIELD

CHAS. H. LITTLEFIELD, Jr. CHAS. A. BROOKS

and SELECTMEN.

TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

(L. S.)

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Hampstead in the County of Rockingham in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town House in said Hampstead on Tuesday, the tenth day of March next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges including town officers' salaries, expenses of town officers, election and registration, care and supplies for town hall, police department, fire department, health department, vital statistics, snow pathing, street lights, general expenses of highway department, town poor, Soldiers Aid, interest on temporary loans and on long term notes and on principal of trust funds used by town.

3. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate amounts as recommended by N. H. highway department for state aid maintenance.

4. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate amounts as recommended by N. H. highway department for state aid construction.

5. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to keep the unimproved roads and bridges in repair.

6. To see if the town will vote to hire the sum of $2,000.00 by four yearly notes of $500.00 each.

This money to be used to repair the west road, so called, providing the bill passes, which is now before the legislature.

7. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 to repair the west road, so called, providing the bill, now before the legislature does not pass.

8. To see if the town will vote to repair and tarvia the farm road, so called, to the corner of the residence of George Hastings, providing suitable arrangement can be made with the New Hampshire highway department by the selectmen.

9. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate to expend on the road leading from Leighton's corner, (so-called) to the main road running from the Taylor store to South Danville, and what method they will adopt to expend the same.

(By request.)

10. To see if the town will vote to buy the snow plow used this winter by the truck and raise and appropriate money for the same.

11. To see if the town will vote to buy 1000 feet of snow fence and raise and appropriate money for the same.

12. To see if the town will vote to shingle one side of the roof of the Town Hall and raise and appropriate money for the same.

13. To see if the town will vote to buy 50 chairs for the Town Hall and raise and appropriate money for the same.

14. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to meet the expenses of the public library the ensuing year.

15. To see what sum of money the town will vote

to raise and appropriate for the observance of Memorial day, and what method they will adopt to expend the same.

16. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the care of cemeteries the ensuing year.

17. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to hire money for the use of the town.

18. To hear reports of auditors and committees and act thereon.

19. To see if the town will vote to discontinue the office of bell ringer, and authorize the selectmen to hire a janitor whose duties shall be to take care of the Town Hall and ring the bell once on Sundays.

20. To see if the town will vote to return $450.00 to the town treasury, being money appropriated for Butman's Hill.

21. To see if the town will vote to repair the furnace in the Town Hall and raise and appropriate money for the same.

22. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate five hundred dollars ($500.00) to be used to improve the sidewalks between the Town Hall and the residence of Benjamin H. Clow. (By request.)

23. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to erect a fence around the cemetery in the east part of the town, known as the Ray yard, and what method they will adopt to expend the same. (By request.)

24. To see if the town will vote to appoint a committee to investigate the advisability of adopting a Town Building Ordinance.

25. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this fourteenth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and thirty-one.

JOHN A. HUTTON,
MAURICE I. RANDALL,
EVERETT C. MILLS,
Selectmen of Hampstead.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

JOHN A. HUTTON,
MAURICE I. RANDALL,
EVERETT C. MILLS,
Selectmen of Hampstead.

NOTICE

The polls will be open to vote for town officers from 10 A. M. until 4 P. M. The appropriations for the money to be raised will be during the afternoon hours.

The Selectmen will meet the first Saturday of each month from 7 until 9 P. M. All bills to be paid must be presented at that time.

BUDGET FOR THE TOWN OF HAMPSTEAD, NEW HAMPSHIRE.

	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1930	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1931
Sources of Revenue		
From State:		
Insurance Tax	.38	
Railroad Tax	251.66	250.00
Savings Bank Tax	280.38	200.00
For Fighting Forest Fires	21.20	50.00
For Highways:		
For State Aid Maintenance	5,902.53	5,900.00
Interest and Dividend Tax	533.23	75.00
From Local Sources Except Taxes:		
Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings		150.00
Interest Received on Taxes	488.69	300.00
Income of Departments:		
Refunds	478.49	
Surplus from 1930		3,032.29
From Poll Taxes:	798.00	798.00
National Bank Stock	3.00	3.00
Auto Tax	1,122.62	1,100.00
Revenue Applicable only to New Construction and Improvements:		
From State:		
For State Aid Highway Construction	1,210.84	2,400.00
Revenue Which Must be Paid to Other Governmental Divisions:		

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1930	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1931
Current Maintenance Expenses:		
General Government:		
Town Officer's Salaries	$ 950.75	$ 950.75
Town Officers' Expenses	454.79	500.00
Election and Registration Expenses	128.70	44.00
Care and Supplies for Town Hall	228.39	750.00
Protection of Persons and Property:		
Police Department	126.20	125.00
Fire Department	42.40	150.00
Health:		
Health Department	22.30	25.00
Vital Statistics	14.00	10.00
Highways and Bridges:		
State Aid Maintenance		
State's Contribution	5,902.53	5,900.00
Winter	39.00	40.00
Town's Contribution	2,500.00	2,500.00
Winter snow fence	105.74	150.00
Winter roads	654.08	600.00
Town Maintenance	1,109.80	2,200.00
Street Lighting	1,558.92	1,558.92
General Expense of Highway Department	108.59	125.00
Education:		
Libraries	417.74	517.74
Charities:		
Town Poor	733.62	700.00

BUDGET (Continued)

Dog tax	184.00	184.00
H. H. S. interest	872.69	880.00
Library interest	317.74	317.74
Cemetery interest	123.00	125.00
Total Revenues From All Sources Except Property Taxes	$12,588.45	$15,765.03
Amount Raised by Property Taxes:	$24,856.02	$21,537.94

BUDGET (Continued)

Patriotic Purposes:		
Memorial Day	183.20	200.00
Soldiers' Aid	71.50	75.00
Public Service Enterprises:		
Cemeteries	465.27	450.00
Interest:		
On Temporary Loans	13.19	25.00
On Long Term Notes	200.00	50.00
On Principal of Trust Funds Used by Town	123.00	125.00
Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements:		
Highways and Bridges		
State Aid Construction		
State's Contribution	1,210.84	2,400.00
Town's Contribution	1,210.84	1,210.84
Snow plow		275.00
Tractor Building	1,039.08	
Indebtedness:		
Long term Notes	3,000.00	
Payment to Sinking Funds:		
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:		
State Taxes	1,778.40	1,778.40
County Taxes	1,508.64	1,508.64
Payments to School Districts	9,683.04	11,294.68
H. H. S. interest	872.69	880.00
Dog tax	184.00	184.00
	$36,641.24	$37,302.97

The budget Committee make the following recommendations to the several articles mentioned in the Town Warrant.

Article No. 2:

That the Town raise $5,313.67 as follows:—

Town Officer's Salaries	$950.75
Town Officer's Expenses	500.00
Election and Registration Expenses	44.00
Care and Supplies, Town Hall	250.00
Police Dept.	125.00
Fire Dept.	150.00
Health Dept.	25.00
Vital Statistics	10.00
Snow Pathing	600.00
Street Lights	1,558.92
General Expense, Highway Dept.	125.00
Town Poor	700.00
Soldiers' Aid	75.00
Interest Temporary Loans	25.00
Interest Long Term Notes	50.00
Interest Principal of Trust Funds used by Town	125.00

Article No. 3	Yes	$2,500.00	
Article No. 4	Yes	$1,210.84	
Article No. 5	Yes	$1,000.00	
Article No. 6	Yes	$2,000.00	
Article No. 7	Yes	$500.00	
Article No. 8	Yes	$500.00	
Article No. 9	Yes	$200.00	
Article No. 10	Yes	$275.00	
Article No. 11	Yes	$150.00	
Article No. 12	Yes	$300.00	
Article No. 13	Yes	$75.00	
Article No. 14	Yes	$200.00 plus int.	$317.74
Article No. 15	Yes	$200.00	
Article No. 16	Yes	$200.00 plus int.	$125.00

Article No. 17	Yes	
Article No. 18	Yes	
Article No. 19	Yes	
Article No. 20	Yes	
Article No. 21	Yes	$125.00
Article No. 22	No	Not recommended by this committee
Article No. 23	Yes	$125.00
Article No. 24	Yes	

By raising the above amounts as recommended by the Budget Committee on an estimated valuation of $825,000.00 your tax rate for the coming year will be approximately $2.65 per $100.00.

Please bring your Town Report to the Town Meeting.

Charles A. Brooks, Chairman,
Budget Committee

George M. Littlefield, Clerk.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

Inventory, April 1, 1930.

Lands and Buildings		747,051.00
Electric Plants		14,000.00
Horses, 45		3,240.00
Cows, 247		18,865.00
Other Neat Stock, 33		1,965.00
Hogs, 3		35.00
Fowls, 5860		5,905.00
Portable Mills, 1		400.00
Wood, Lumber, etc.		10,708.00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks		1,815.00
Stock in Trade		14,750.00
Aqueducts		4,800.00
Mills and Machinery		5,000.00
Polls Number 399 at $2, Total poll taxes	792.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes	3.00	
Total, Exclusive of Soldiers' Exemptions		$828,534.00
Amount of taxes committed to collector, including poll taxes and national bank stock taxes		25,657.02
Average rate per cent of taxation for all purposes		3.00
Amount exempted to soldiers		18,860.00

LIST OF APPROPRIATIONS, 1930.

State tax	$ 1,778.40
County tax	1,508.64
School tax	9,683.04
State Aid Roads	3,736.00
Unimproved roads and bridges	500.00
Wash Pond Road	50.00
Butman's Hill	450.00
Central Street	500.00

Leighton Road	50.00
Cemeteries	300.00
Library	200.00
Memorial Day	200.00
Tractor building	700.00
Long term notes	2,000.00
Town charges	5,400.00
Plus overlay	400.74
	$27,456.82

ASSETS

Cash:		
In hands of treasurer	$2,052.03	
Accounts Due to the Town—		
Due from State:		
Repairs on crusher	123.40	
Due from County	133.37	
Other bills due Town:		
Tarring drives E. Butman, W. E. Hutton	20.00	
Taxes bought by Town	1,124.92	
Taxes not collected:		
Levi of 1930	8,853.57	
Total Assets		$12,307.29
Net Debt, January 31, 1930	1,863.31	
Net Surplus, January 31, 1931	3,032.29	

LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by the Town:	
Balance due Library Committee	$100.00
Due to School Districts:	
Balance of Appropriation	5,000.00
Long Term Notes Outstanding:	
Trustees of Trust Funds, serial note	1,000.00

Trust Funds, Amount of Principal Used by Town:	3,175.00	
Total Liabilities		$9,275.00
Excess of assets over liabilities		3,032.29
		$12,307.29

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, lands and buildings	5,000.00
Furniture and equipment	500.00
Libraries, lands and buildings	3,000.00
Furniture and equipment	2,000.00
Fire Department equipment	200.00
Highway Department equipment	6,000.00
Materials and supplies	150.00
Playgrounds, Bailey field	500.00
All other Property and Equipment:	
Land and tractor building	1,300.00
Total	$18,650.00

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Dog Licenses for 1930.

69 Male licenses @ 2.00	$138.00
10 Female licenses @ 5.00	50.00
1 Kennel license	12.00
Total receipts	$200.00
Less commission 80 @ 20	16.00
	$184.00

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

Summary of Receipts

Cash on hand, February 1, 1930	$3,655.53
State of New Hampshire:	
Railroad tax	251.66
Saving bank tax	280.38
Insurance tax	.38
Interest and Dividend tax	533.23
Proportion Fire bills	21.20
Blister Rust	1.71
State Highway department	1,509.96
Thorndike Putman, Collector:	
1929 taxes	10,173.48
1929 interest on taxes	318.82
1930 taxes	16,797.45
1930 interest on taxes	14.28
From Selectmen:	
1930 Auto tax	414.90
1931 Auto tax	707.72
1930 Dog license	200.00
Redeemed taxes	890.33
Interest and costs	155.57
For County poor	218.19
Interest on Trust Funds, H. H. S.	872.69
Interest on Cemetery Funds	123.00
Interest on Library Funds	317.74
Temporary loans	1,500.00
Crusher equipment	250.00
Lots in Lakeview Cemetery	12.00
Tarring drive, E. C. Mills	10.00
Tarring drive, 1929, A. E. Mills	10.00
Perpetual Care Cemetery lots,	
Estate of E. S. Gould	75.00
Washington Noyes	50.00

D. H. Emerson	50.00
M. E. Spollett	50.00
H. S. Martin	50.00
Linda Marston	50.00
Balance from L. Webber place	191.49
John A. Hutton, grass, Hall lot	5.00
Total receipts	$39,761.73
Paid Selectmen's orders 1-180	37,709.70
Cash on hand January 31, 1931	$2,052.03

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

Current Revenue:			
From Local Taxes:			
Property taxes committed to collector, 1930	$24,856.02		
Less uncollected, 1930	8,853.57		
Property taxes current year, actually collected		16,212.45	
Poll taxes, current year, actually collected 291 @ $2.00		582.00	
Property and poll taxes, previous years actually collected		10,173.48	
National Bank Stock taxes		3.00	
Total of above collections			26,970.93
Tax sales redeemed			890.33
From State:			
For Highways and Bridges:			
For State Aid maintenance		299.12	
For State Aid construction		1,210.84	
Interest and dividend tax		533.23	

Insurance tax	.38	
Railroad tax	251.66	
Savings bank tax	280.38	
Fighting forest fires	21.20	
Blister rust	1.71	
From County:		
For support of poor	218.19	
From Local Sources, Except Taxes:		
Dog licenses	200.00	
Interest received on taxes	488.69	
Income from trust funds	1,313.43	
Registration of motor vehicles, 1930 Permits	414.90	
Registration of motor vehicles, 1931 Permits	707.72	
Receipts Other Than Current Revenue:		
Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year	1,500.00	
Refunds	478.49	
Trust funds	325.00	
Total Receipts Other Than Current Revenue		8,244.94
Total Receipts From All Sources		$36,106.20
Cash on hand February 1, 1930		3,655.53
		$39,761.73

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses:	
General Government:	
Town officers' salaries	950.75
Town officers' expenses	454.79

Election and registration expenses	128.70	
Expenses town hall	228.39	
Protection of Persons and Property:		
Police department,	126.20	
Fire department, forest fires	42.40	
Expense of dogs	16.00	
Health:		
Health department	22.30	
Vital statistics	14.00	
Highways and Bridges:		
State Aid maintenance, Summer	2,582.19	
Winter	144.74	
Town maintenance, Summer	1,109.80	
Winter	654.08	
Street lighting	1,558.92	
General expenses of highway department	108.59	
Libraries:		
Libraries	417.74	
Charities:		
Town poor	733.62	
County poor	285.39	
Patriotic Purposes:		
Memorial Day exercises	183.20	
Aid to soldiers and their families	71.50	
Public Service Enterprises:		
Cemeteries,	465.27	
Unclassified:		
Taxes bought by town	1,097.93	
Total Current Maintenance Expenses		$11,396.50
Interest:		
Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	13.19	

Paid on long term notes	200.00	
Paid on principal of trust funds used by towns	123.00	
Total Interest Payments		336.19
Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements:		
Highways and Bridges—		
State Aid construction	2,421.68	
Lands and buildings	1,039.08	
New equipment	51.72	
Total Outlay Payments		3,512.48
Indebtedness:		
Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	1,500.00	
Payents on long term notes	3,000.00	
Total Indebtedness Payments		4,500.00
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:		
Taxes paid to State	1,778.40	
Taxes paid to County	1,508.64	
Payments to School Districts	14,677.49	
Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions		17,964.53
Total Payments for all Purposes		37,709.70
Cash on hand January 31, 1931		2,052.03
		$39,761.73

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Town Officers' Salaries.

John A. Hutton, selectman	$125.00
Maurice I. Randall, selectman	125.00
Everett C. Mills, selectman	230.00
Thorndike Putnam, collector	200.00
Adin E. Little, treasurer	100.00
Charles A. Brooks, clerk, Auto permits	170.75
	$950.75

TOWN OFFICER'S EXPENSES

L. E. Darling, auditor, 1929	6.00
C. B. Badger, auditor, 1929	6.00
News-Enterprise Co., reports and ballots	140.00
E. C. Eastman Co., books & supplies	15.00
Clerk's supplies	13.44
Nutfield Ins. Agency, officer's bonds	110.00
N. H. Assessors' dues	2.00
Trustees of Trust Funds expense	5.00
C. A. Brooks, expense to tax meeting	2.45
B. G. Mills, copying books	20.00
J. R. Frost, supplies	2.60
J. A. Hutton, Auto hire expense	25.00
M. I. Randall, auto hire expense	25.00
E. C. Mills, telephone and postage	14.28
E. C. Mills, auto hire and expense	45.72
E. H. Quimby, supplies	.65
Flowers	6.00
T. Putnam, tax meeting, auto and supplies	15.65
	$454.79

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION.

J. C. Sanborn, supervisor	$27.00
A. D. Emerson supervisor	27.00
Estate of H. W. Tabor, supervisor	9.00
F. E. Darling, ballot clerk	3.00
J. S. Corson, ballot clerk	3.00
T. Putnam, ballot clerk	6.00
J. B. Eastman, ballot clerk	9.00
G. L. Buckland, ballot clerk	9.00
A. H. Little, ballot clerk	6.00
G. A. Dearth, moderator	15.00
Supplies for election	14.70
	$128.70

TOWN HALL

D. F. Bickford, ringing bell	$100.00
D. F. Bickford, wood and expense	33.00
Derry Electric Co., lights	24.45
J. R. Frost, supplies	11.73
Heywood, Wakefield Co., supplies	2.49
A. S. Little, supplies	9.42
Grate for furnace	10.80
W. E. Hutton, switch	3.68
Benson Lumber Co., lumber	13.57
E. Houston, repairs	9.00
C. S. Rowe, setting glass	10.25
	$228.39

POLICE REPORT.

Gilman L. Buckland.

5 Trips to E. Hampstead Auto Accidents	$15.00
3 Trips to W. Hampstead, Auto Accidents	6.00
1 Trip Sandown Road, Auto Accident	3.00
1 Trip to Angle Pond, Investigation	4.00
1 Trip to Brentwood	5.00

1 Trip to Danville	3.00
3 Trips to Salem, obtaining Warrants, etc.	9.00
1 Trip to Derry	4.00
1 Trip to Manchester	5.00
1 Trip to Danville, Auto Accident	3.00
1 Trip to Brooks Hill, Auto Accident	2.00
1 Trip to Stage Road, Auto Accident	2.00
3 Trips to Island Pond	6.00
1-2 Day on Highway	3.00
Work at Sunset Lake, Investigating	5.00
Removing car from Highway	2.00
3 nights at E. Hampstead	9.00
Work with County Officers	10.00
Miscellaneous work	25.00
Telephone charges	2.45
Equipment	2.75
	$126.20

FIRE DEPARTMENT

M. I. Randall, Warden.

Fire bills	$42.40

LOCATION OF FIRE LADDERS

Arthur E. Mills, West Hampstead.
E. B. Woodward, Mapleton.
A. F. Johnson, Kent Farm road.
J. R. Frost, store.
Town Hall.
Forrest O. Bailey, Emerson avenue.
H. A. Spencer, East road.
A. J. Williams, Stage road.
P. F. Miles, Central Street, East Hampstead.
Willam J. Keezer, East Hampstead.

At each location there are two extension ladders and a hook. To be used strictly for fire purposes only.

DOGS.

Charles A. Brooks, dog licenses	$16.00

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

J. B. Eastman:	
Services for Board of Health	$12.00
Reporting infectious diseases	.30
Services for Measle cases	4.00
Trip to Concord	6.00
	$22.30

HAMPSTEAD CHILD HEALTH CONFERENCE

A Child Health Conference was held in Hampstead on April 29, 1930, under the supervision of the State Board of Health, Division of Maternity, Infancy and Child Hygiene, with the Parent Teachers Association cooperating. A report of the conference is as follows:—

Total number of children examined	45
Total number of children 100 per cent perfect	21
Total number of children with defects	24

The following defects were found at the conference: Mentality 1; Teeth 1; Tonsils 2; Adhesions of Prepuce 7; Chest 1; Adenoids 2; Glands 2; Needs circumcision 1; Bow legs 1; Needs correct Hygiene 1; Rickets 1; Enlarged Thymus 1; Infected tonsils 1; Hernia 1; Nose 1.

Eunice I. Gosselin, R. N

VITAL STATISTICS

Charles A. Brooks, clerk	$11.25
W. A. Allen, M. D.	2.50
R. H. Barker, M. D.	.25
	$14.00

STATE AID MAINTENANCE

J. S. Joslin, patrol	$752.23
B. Symonds	342.23
M. I. Randall, trucking sand	1,487.73
State treasurer, snow fence	105.74
C. H. Heath, winter roads	39.00
	$2,726.93

TOWN MAINTENANCE

Winter Roads

S. J. Pratt, Agent	$347.08
L. E. Duston, sanding hills	2.00
B. Symonds	25.00
J. A. Hutton, tractor work	137.50
C. H. Heath, truck work	139.00
Edgar Heath	3.50
	$654.08

SUMMER ROADS

M. I. Randall, Central street	$510.45
S. J. Pratt, Agent	501.00
S. J. Pratt, Pond road	44.30
S. J. Pratt, Leighton road	50.55
H. Wilson, labor on culvert	3.50
	$1,109.80

STREET LIGHTING

Derry Electric Co.	$1,558.92

GENERAL EXPENSES OF DEPARTMENT

J. S. Corson, insurance on tractor	$34.50
J. S. Corson, insurance on tractor building	13.50
Colby Bros,, plank for bridge	19.26

J. S. Corson, liability insurance	29.00
N. E. Gas & Electric Co., garage lights	1.51
I. Randall, plank	4.62
T. Putnam, road repair	3.50
A. S. Little, supplies	2.70
	$108.59

LIBRARIES

J. S. Corson, trustee appropriation	$100.00
Interest on trust funds	317.74
	$417.74

TOWN POOR

Board for Mrs. Webber	$217.77
L. E. Duston, wood, C. Folsom	7.88
L. E. Duston, wood, L. Tobyne	50.50
J. M. Tait, milk, L. Tobyne	43.80
Johnson & Sargent, rent for Tobyne	31.14
C. C. Taylor, supplies, F. Webber	53.14
I. Randall, wood, F. Webber	27.00
I. Leighton, supplies, L. Tobyne	178.93
I. Leighton, supplies, C. Folsom	104.99
A. S. Little, supplies, E. Hadley	2.00
E. W. Cook, supplies, E. Hadley	16.47
	$733.62

COUNTY POOR

Aid for A. Woodard family	$ 18.96
Aid for soldier's family	266.43
	$285.39

PATRIOTIC PURPOSES

Memorial Day Committee,	$183.20

SOLDIERS AID

Wood for soldiers' family	$71.50

CEMETERIES

Work on funded lots	$160.40
Work at W. Hampstead cemetery	25.00
Work at Lakeview cemetery	75.93
Work at Center cemetery	88.20
Work at Carter cemetery	17.40
Work on old cemeteries	98.34
	$465.27

UNCLASSIFIED

Taxes bought by town	$1,097.93

INTEREST

Interest on temporary loans:	
First National Bank	$ 13.19
Interest on long term notes:	
Trustees of trust funds, serial note	$100.00
Trustees of trust funds, cemetery fund	123.00
First National Bank	100.00
	$323.00

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

East Road and Butman's Hill	$2,421.68

TOWN CONSTRUCTION

Tractor building	$1,039.08

NEW EQUIPMENT

New equipment	51.72

INDEBTEDNESS

Payment on temporary loans	$1,500.00
Payments on long term notes:	
Trustees of trust funds, serial note	$1,000.00
First National Bank	2,000.00
	$3,000.00
Payments to other Governmental Divisions:	
State tax	$1,778.40
County tax	1,508.64
	$3,287.04

SCHOOL BOARD

Balance 1929 appropriation	$7,341.16
H. H. S. 1929 interest	1,440.20
Dog licenses 1929	156.40
1930 appropriation	4,683.04
H. H. S. 1930 interest	872.69
Dog licenses, 1930	184.00
	$14,677.49
Total payments for all purposes	$37,709.70

SUBJECTS OF STATEMENTS.

1929 Tax List.

Paid in Lynn:	
Edward Peoria	$2.00
Lincoln Pedrick	2.00
Left Town:	
Newton Johnson	2.00
Ellsworth Hadley	2.00
Robert Davidson	2.00
Alice Davidson	2.00

Over Age:	
Cyrille Allison	2.00
Albert Johnson	2.00
Isaac Randall	2.00
James A. Roberts	3.30
Over tax:	
Charles Moore	24.75
Gordon Merrick	8.25
	$54.30

REPORT OF STATE AID MAINTENANCE.

Town paid:	
J. S. Joslin, patrol	$752.23
B. Symonds	342.23
M. I. Randall and men, trucking sand	1,487.73
State Treasurer, on snow fence	105.74
C. H. Heath, winter roads	39.00
	$2,726.93
State paid:	
Patch and tarvia	$3,566.53
Trucks and labor	2,036.88
Check from State	299.12
	$5,902.53

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

Report of E. C. Mills.

East Road and Butman Hill.

Expended:	
L. E. Duston, truck	$298.00
C. H. Heath, truck	399.00
C. H. Heath, team	44.00
A. H. Little, truck	184.00

H. Wilson, labor	80.50
E. Sweeney, labor	116.22
G. Braggs, labor	71.50
C. C. Tuttle, labor	15.75
C. Gorton, labor	56.19
B. Symonds, labor	98.94
B. Symonds, gravel	25.65
W. La Porte, labor	88.67
A. T. Brown, labor	93.92
A. Woodard, labor	30.53
W. Bergeron, labor	40.25
W. Ordway, labor	66.50
J. Johnson, labor	60.67
E. C. Mills, labor	165.00
M. O. Mason, labor, dynamite, etc.	303.94
Chas. Ordway, labor	10.50
L. Johnson, labor	31.50
A. Colletti, labor	8.75
Walter Bergeron, labor	5.25
B. Symonds, gravel	53.40
G. Bailey, gravel	27.30
Mrs. S. J. Hart, gravel	36.15
H. Oberlie, gravel	9.60
	$2,421.68

REPORT OF M. I. RANDALL

Central Street.

Expended:

L. Duston, truck	$96.00
C. H. Heath, truck	96.00
I. Randall, team	16.00
W. Martel, team	4.00
M. I. Randall, labor	45.00
E. Coombs, labor	31.50

E. Sweeney, labor	31.50
G. Braggs, labor	31.50
W. La Porte, labor	28.00
W. Ordway, labor	24.50
G. Johnson, labor	22.75
M. Mansur, labor	21.00
W. Stickney, labor	7.00
R. Hoyt, labor	2.50
L. Johnson, labor	3.50
E. Martel, labor	7.00
Gravel, labor	38.50
Dynamite, sharpening picks, etc.	4.40
	$510.45

TOWN MAINTENANCE

Stephen J. Pratt, Agent.

Expended:

S. J. Pratt, labor	$104.18
Man and team	153.35
C. H. Heath, truck	36.00
C. H. Heath, team	48.00
C. H. Heath, plank	1.20
L. E. Duston, truck	36.00
L. E. Duston, labor	1.75
B. Symonds, labor	10.50
H. Smith, labor	10.50
R. Hoyt, labor	10.50
G. Sawyer, labor	10.50
M. Mansur, labor	10.50
F. E. Darling, labor	7.01
Laborer, labor	7.00
Culvert	26.46
M. L. Chase, repairs on machine	7.50

Part for machine	1.00
B. Symonds, gravel	16.05
Gravel	3.00
	$501.00

POND ROAD

Expended:

S. J. Pratt, labor	$15.00
Man and team	24.00
R. Hoyt, labor	3.50
J. S. Corson, gravel	1.80
	$44.30

LEIGHTON ROAD

Expended:

S. J. Pratt	$17.50
Man and team	28.00
Gravel	3.30
Cutting brush	1.75
	$50.55

WINTER ROADS

S. J. Pratt, labor	$47.00
Repairs	2.00
C. S. Rowe, labor	2.67
L. E. Duston, labor	30.66
B. Symonds, labor	34.69
J. Hutton, labor	3.50
W. M. Worthen, work, gas and oil	33.25
J. R. Frost, gas	19.52
E. F. Clark, gas and oil	4.50
A. S. Little, gas and oil	6.00

E. W. Cook, gas and oil	2.00
Brickett & Collins, gas	4.60
Repairs and parts for tractor	141.69
Tractor storage, 3 months	15.00
	$347.08

WINTER ROADS

Report of John A. Hutton

Tractor work, December, 1930, January, 1931.

Expended:

M. I. Randall, auto to Reading for part	$6.00
M. I. Randall, labor	12.00
J. A. Hutton, labor	17.00
J. A. Hutton, telephone, Boston	1.85
B. Symonds, labor	27.50
L. E. Duston, labor	14.25
L. E. Duston, truck	3.00
J. R. Frost, gas and oil	25.75
A. S. Little, gas, oil, etc.	4.87
Brickett & Collins, gas and alcohol	4.55
E. W. Cook, gas	3.48
E. Houston, labor	14.25
W. M. Worthen, repairs	3.00
	$137.50

Expended:

Truck and blade work, Dec., 1930, Jan., 1931.

C. H. Heath, truck to Boston for blade	$25.00
Work on plow	3.00
Truck work on snow	150.00
	$178.00

REPORT ON TRACTOR BUILDING

Expended:

L. W. Ells, building garage	$931.00
C. H. Heath, truck work	24.00
L. Ordway, labor	3.50
N. Nowell, labor	7.00
B. Symonds, gravel	9.40
E. Blanco, building chimney	22.60
W. E. Hutton, wiring garage	35.58
W. Little, labor	6.00
	$1,039.08

Hampstead, N. H., February 14th, 1931.

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts of the Selectmen, Tax Collector, Town Clerk, Road Agent, of Hampstead for the year ending January 31st, 1931, and find them correct and all disbursements properly vouched.

LEWIS C. DARLING,
GEORGE M. LITTLEFIELD,
Auditors.

Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Hampstead, N. H., on February 1, 1931.

Date of Creation	TRUST FUNDS—Purpose of Creation All trust funds should be reported separately giving name of fund and donor	HOW INVESTED State character and rate of return for each investment. State also if funds were "borrowed or used for city or town purposes."	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Income During Year	Expended During Year
	Library Funds					
1895	James Gordon Fund	Government Bond	$500.00	4¼	$21.25	
1898-1927	Nelson Ordway "	Savings Banks of N. H.	5,000.00	"	253.99	
1919	George Webster "	Goverment Bond	1,000.00	"	42.50	
			$6,500.00		$317.74	$317.74
	Cemetery Funds	Town Note				
1898-1928	As Reported previous years	"	$2,850.00	4	$114.00	
1930	Eugene Gould Fund	"	75.00	"	3.00	
"	Washington Noyes Fund	"	50.00	"	2.00	
"	Daniel H. Emerson "	"	50 00	"	2.00	
"	Frederick Spollett "	"	50.00	"	2.00	
"	Linda Marston "	"	50.00	" No interest		
"	Hamlin S. Martin "	"	50.00	" 1930		
			$3175.00		$123.00	$123.00

1874 Benjamin D. Emerson Fund For High School Support	Notes	Invested in School District 16 of $1100.00	$17600.00	5	$440.00	
		Town Note	1000.00	"	100.00	
		Savings Banks in N. H.	3225.00	4¼	332.69	
		Mortgage Note received	300.00	5		
		From Trustees of High School	$22125.00		$872.69	$872.69
			Interest Due		$135.60	

Note: This Fund was changed from May 20 to Aug. 20 from Savings Banks to School Districts Notes and One Town Note of $1000.00 was paid and deposited in Savings Bank.

Certificate

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

JOHN S. CORSON
CHARLES H. LITTLEFIELD, Jr. } *Trustees.*
FRANK W. EMERSON

Date Feb. 1, 1931

LIBRARY REPORT

Financial:

Received from:

1929	$219.71
Town	100.00
Gordon Fund	21.25
Ordway Fund	253.99
Webster Fund	42.50
Fines	8.15
Total receipts	$645.60

EXPENDITURES

Paid:

J. R. Frost, supplies	$10.44
Record Book	2.25
Labor on fees	2.40
Insurance	75.00
Mitchell & Co., books	63.22
F. E. Darling, labor	9.80
H. W. Little, labor, supplies	6.82
Clara E. Darling, librarian	75.00
W. Little, labor	2.50
I. Randall, Wood	20.50
G. S. Cross, books	74.99
A. S. Little, coal	24.38
H. W. Little, labor	.75
F. E. Darling, labor, supplies	21.00
Derry Electric Co., lights	14.00
Mary B. Darbee, librarian	39.00
C. Darling, janitor	10.00
Clara E. Darling, expenses	3.50
Clafflin Magazine Co.	6.60
	$462.15

In reserve for books and repairs	150.00
Balance	33.45
	$645.60

The Trustees wish to acknowledge with thanks, the gifts of books and magazines to the Library from Mrs. Otis Masterman, Miss Abbie F. Chandler, Mrs. Mabel Marden, Mrs. H. C. Ordway and Mr. Frank S. Parlin.

The Great Master of us all, called from our Board of Trustees this year an honored, and well loved member, Mr. Lucius M. Darbee. He was ever interested in the library work, both in the Village and in East Hampstead, always willing and faithful. We shall miss him.

JOHN S. CORSON,

CHARLES H. LITTLEFIELD, Jr.,

Trustees.

REPORT OF MEMORIAL DAY COMMITTEE.

Expended:

Band	$128.00
Speaker	10.00
Flags	14.00
Flags and Staff	17.00
Cement Blocks	2.50
Janitor	2.00
Collecting evergreen	2.50
Flowers	7.20
	$183.20

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF CEMETERIES.

IRVING LEIGHTON,
ROBERT HART,
DAVID F. BICKFORD,

WEST HAMPSTEAD

Expended :

A. T. Brown, labor	$10.00
Robert Hart, labor	15.00
	$25.00

LAKEVIEW

Expended :

I. Leighton, pump and labor	$13.00
D. F. Bickford, labor and team work	24.15
W. Bickford, labor	6.80
A. Woodard, labor	7.60
W. A. Fitts, labor	17.78
C. Putney, labor	1.80
C. Marble, labor	1.20
R. Stevens, labor	1.20
M. Ordway, labor	2.40
	$75.93

CENTER AND MONUMENT LOT

Expended :

D. F. Bickford, labor	$33.10
R. Hoyt, labor	10.00
A. Woodard, labor	4.00
C. Putney, labor	5.70
T. Woodard, labor	1.20
C. Marble, labor	3.60
J. Eastman, labor	7.80

R. Stevens, labor	1.20
W. Bickford, labor	7.20
C. Davis, labor	5.60
W. A. Fitts, labor	6.40
C. Phillips, labor	2.40
	$88.20

CARTER CEMETERY

Expended :

I. Leighton, labor	$ 9.50
G. Hayes, labor	2.40
E. Sweeney, mowing	5.50
	$17.40
Work on funded lots	$116.90
Work on M. Ordway lots and drives	43.50
	$160.40

SPECIAL WORK ON OLD CEMETERIES

Hampstead Handle.

Expended :

I. Leighton, labor and material	$16.50
G. H. Braggs, labor	5.33
George Hayes, labor	2.00
	$23.83

RAY CEMETERY

Expended :

I. Leighton, labor and material	$15.20
G. H. Braggs, labor	2.66
George Hayes, labor	12.80
	$30.66

EAST ROAD

Expended:

D. F. Bickford, labor and trucking	$ 8.00
I. Leighton, labor	4.35
A. Woodard, labor	11.40
E. Wilson, labor	10.20
G. Braggs, labor	7.50
W. E. Bickford, labor	1.20
C. Putney, labor	1.20
	$43.85

REPORT OF THE SUPT. OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of Hampstead:

It is a pleasure to present to you my fourth annual report as Superintendent of the Hampstead schools. Reports are also presented by Miss Augusta Nichols, Headmaster High School; Mrs. Eva W. Thompson, Supervisor of Music; and Miss Helen Thomas, School Nurse.

There were 180 pupils enrolled in our schools last year (this is 5 more than during the year ending in June, 1929). The attendance averaged 96.1 per cent of the membership. This figure is a little higher than the average for the state during this period. 14 pupils were neither absent nor tardy during the year. In the matter of tardiness our record in the Elementary Schools was the same as the average for the state. The number of tardinesses at High School was greater than the state average.

Your attention is called to the table of statistics at the end of this report. It contains detailed information about the schools not easily found in any other form.

The following table shows the attendance in the Hampstead schools during the last five years and is presented to show the trend of our school population:

Number of pupils enrolled in 1926—169.
Number of pupils enrolled in 1927—180.
Number of pupils enrolled in 1928—182.
Number of pupils enrolled in 1929—175.
Number of pupils enrolled in 1930—180.

We were very fortunate in being able to retain our teachers for another year.

Fifteen pupils completed the work of the eighth grade and fourteen of these entered High School last Fall. These figures bear out the contention that

parents with very few exceptions wish for their children the benefits of a High School training.

If a High School is to hold the interest of a large per cent of those entering, it must offer vocational education. Hampstead is doing a good deal along this line. We already have a good course in Commerce and Home Economics for the girls. Manual Training is given to the seventh and eighth grade boys. Mechanic Arts is about the only curriculum that we are not giving at present. Such a course would continue through the four years of the Senior High School and would be of great value to many of the boys. The number of boys taking Mechanic Arts in High Schools offering it, is unusual. At present such instruction is confined to city High Schools. Many village high schools will start this work within the next few years.

It is gratifying to know that the health instruction offered in the schools is actually improving the health of the pupils and the parents, teachers, school nurse and pupils are removing many of the physical defects that hinder the mental and physical growth of the boys and girls in our schools. Local organizations have often assisted the school nurse financially in her work. This assistance has been used to remove adenoids and tonsils; glasses have been secured Statistics concerning this work will be found in the school nurse's report.

It is continually necessary to buy new text books. As old books wear out they are replaced by those that better meet the general educational conditions. We have, during the past year, bought new Health books, Geography, History and Reading books. New books have been secured for English, Science and Domestic Arts at the High School.

Schools are continually changing in curricula, methods, and management. If this were not so the educational system of a community would soon lose the support and confidence of its people. The Program of Studies for grades 1-6 has been revised by the State Board of Education and was distributed during the Fall of 1930. This new program is greatly appreciated by the teachers.

According to our tests, steady improvement is being made in the routine work of the schools. Our principal difficulties are in adapting work to the individual differences found among the children. Both achievement and mental tests have been given. These tests are of great help to the teachers and give them a better understanding of both class and individual needs.

The per pupil cost in the Hampstead schools during the year covered by this report was low. It was over twenty dollars per pupil below the average cost in the state for both High and Elementary pupils.

We have now used our new Elementary building for half a school year. The new school is now well organized and a fine grade of work is being done. The children appreciate the advantages they now enjoy, and a fine interest and enthusiasm is being shown. The teachers have done very well in the way they have looked after the children. From the time the school bus arrives in the morning, until it leaves in the afternoon, the children receive the attention of their teacher. Parents have appreciated this, especially in the care of the young children. The transportation has been very satisfactory. Other school districts have shown an interest in the new building and in several cases, requests for a sketch have been received.

Hampstead High School continues to be characterized by earnestness of purpose and high moral. Miss Nichols works both with zeal and ability. Those associated with her have followed her fine example. The Superintendent has kept in close contact with the school and testifies to the fine cooperative service of the staff of teachers and to the wholesome life of the entire school.

The work in all our schools appears to be of a good grade this year. This is due chiefly to the ability of the teachers in no small degree, also to the fine spirit and interest shown by the citizens, as well as the school officials. In closing I wish to express my thanks for the hearty support of parents, teachers and School Board in the work of the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM J. NELSON,

Superintendent of Schools.

STATISTICS FOR SCHOOL
Year Ending June 30, 1930.
ATTENDANCE

	Boys	Girls	Total	Average Membership	Average Attendance	Per Cent of Attendance	Total Tardinesses	Tardinesses Per Pupil
High	19	17	36	32.60	31.30	96.01	111	3.0
Junior High	21	15	36	35.19	33.84	96.10	72	2.0
Number Two	18	19	37	34.68	33.65	97.01	87	2.3
Number Three	15	10	25	20.69	19.91	96.24	44	1.7
Number Four	13	11	24	22.48	21.55	95.86	10	.4
Number Seven	10	15	25	20.34	19.43	95.52	29	1.1
Total	96	87	183	165.98	159.68	96.1	353	1.[illegible]
State Averages, 1929-1930.	Elementary					95.5		1.04
State Averages, 1929-1930.	High					96.3		1.0

Visits:

By School Board	14
By Superintendent	193
By Citizens	302
Pupils not absent nor tardy during year	14

TEACHERS, 1930-1931.

Augusta Nichols	Headmaster
Albert Gauthier	English and History
Cadets, Keen and Plymouth Normal Schools:	
Idella Ingraham	Grades 5 & 6
Mrs. Mabel E. Buttrick	3 & 4
Madeliene Kean	1 & 2
Mrs. Eva W. Thompson	Music
Helen Thomas	Union School Nurse

To the Superintendent and School Board:

The following report for Hampstead High School is based on the work of the past year as well as that of the present.

There has been little change in registration, the Senior High School has gained through the admission of a large freshman class while the Junior High School is somewhat smaller.

The Program in Hampstead High School is unusually broad in scope, comparing most favorably with that of larger schools. The maintenance of interest which is reflected in the small number who leave school may be attributed to this factor—the introduction of a more diversified program of studies.

The introduction of an exploratory course in Typewriting last year was so satisfactory that at the suggestion of the State Department, a full Commercial Curriculum has been introduced. It is probable that registration in this curriculum will not be large

for some time but the courses are being elected by pupils in other curricula. The purchase of three new typewriting machines by the School District has facilitated this work.

DIVISION BY CLASSES.

	Boys	Girls	Total
Senior	4	5	9
Junior	4	4	8
Sophomore	7	3	10
Freshman	11	6	17
Grade Eight	10	7	17
Grade Seven	5	5	10

DISTRIBUTION BY CURRICULA IN SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

	Classical	General	Commercial	Home Economics
Senior	2	2	1	4
Junior	2	3		3
Sophomore	7	2		1
Freshman	6	6	1	4

The Senior class of last year showed a creditable standing in the examinations given by the State Department, exceeding the state median in the Otis Self-Administering Test of Mental Ability and in English forms as determined by the Iowa Placement Examinations. Good reports have been received concerning the work of graduates of the school who are students of higher institutions of learning.

Among the most noteworthy projects of the school should be noted the Student Council, which cares for the ordinary routine affairs of the building and the school paper, "The Trumpet", through which the school expresses its ideals and objectives.

Through the cooperation of the School Board,

Superintendent, and townspeople, the school has acquired a gymnasium where the Junior High boys and girls have regular gymnasium work and the Senior High School pupils play basketball. The increased facilities for extra-curricula activities should result in much good, both from the ethical and the physical standpoints.

The use of one of the rooms at the Central School has relieved the congestion at the High School somewhat, but if another room were available the work of the school could be made more efficient.

The pupils appear to have become thoroughly accustomed to the cadet system and almost no interruption in school work results from the change in the teaching staff. The exceptionally fine type of student teacher which the school has been fortunate in receiving, has challenged the ambition of the pupils. These teachers have set a worthy example. The cultivation of character, the first essential of a successful life, has been the aim of the teaching staff.

Respectfully submitted,

AUGUSTA M. NICHOLS.

Town of Hampstead.

I hereby submit my annual report, for the year, 1929-1930.

Number of pupils examined	169
Number of pupils absent	3

Number of pupils underweight, 45—3 have gained to normal weight, since last examination.

Defective Vision, 5—6 have been treated since last examination.

Defective Hearing, 4—1 has been treated since last examination.

Nervous condition	1

Cardiae disease	1
Defective Teeth, 63—34 treated since last examination.	
Diseased Tonsils, 32—5 treated since last examination.	
Defective Breathing, 9—5 treated since last examination.	
Enlarged Glands, 2—3 treated since last examination.	
Pediculosis	2
Skin Disease	11
Number Vaccinated	168
Number Unvaccinated	1
Number of visits to schools	118
Number of visits to homes	29
Number of children accompanied to Dr.	7
Number of children accompanied to hospital	2
Number of children operated on, Tonsils, Adenoids,	2
Glasses obtained for 1 child.	
Children weighed each month.	
Weight charts placed in each room.	
Weight records sent home to parents.	
Treatments in schools	5
Treatments in homes	1
First Aid Kits were placed in each school. These were paid for by the P. T. A.	

Respectfully submitted,

HELEN W. THOMAS, R. N.
School Nurse Union 55.

To the Superintendent and School Board:

I hereby submit my annual report as Supervisor of Music in the Hampstead Schools.

The work in music is being carried on in the following way. The music supervisor visits each room once

a week; outlines the lesson for the room teacher, and presents, step by step, the music problems throughout the course.

Music Appreciation is the ultimate aim of our Music Course. The pupils are taught to read music and sing tunefully as well as to listen intelligently to music, in order that they may appreciate the finest music of the great masters. The books from the New Educational Music Course furnish attractive material for vocal music, while the phonograph gives an opportunity to listen repeatedly to the enduring classics.

Through the kindness of the Parent Teachers Association we have been able to form a toy orchestra in grades one and two. In the orchestra there are ten bells, ten pair of rhythm sticks, a pair of cymbals, a triangle, and a tambourine. To the delight of the children, each one in turn is allowed to take part.

On November 8th, the students of the High School presented the operetta, "Betty Lou" a Theodore Presser publication.

For your hearty cooperation and that of the teachers, I am most grateful.

Respectfully submitted,

EVA W. THOMPSON.

ANNUAL REPORT OF DISTRICT TREASURER

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1930.

Hampstead, N. H.

Cash on hand June 30, 1929		201.66
Received from Selectmen:		
Appropriations	8,303.40	
Dog tax	156.40	
Income from trust funds	1,440.20	
From State Treasurer:		
State Aid	1,943.63	
Received from all other sources	116.47	
		11,960.10
Total amount available for fiscal year		12,161.76
Less School Board Orders Paid		11,873.66
Balance on hand June 30, 1930		288.10

GEORGE M. LITTLEFIELD,

July 1, 1930. District Treasurer.

Detailed Statement of Receipts.

1929:

July 1.	Cash on Hand		$ 201.66
	Bay State Bank	Interest	.71
July 18.	Town of Chester	Tuition	90.00
Sept. 17.	Selectmen	Appropriation	1,800.00
	Houghton Miffflin Co.	Check ret.	3.56
Oct. 18.	Selectmen	Apropriation	100.00
Oct. 25.	Selectmen	Appropriation	800.00
	Bay State Bank	Interest	.11
Nov. 21.	Selectmen	Appropriation	1,200.00
Dec. 10.	Selectmen	Appropriation	400.00
Dec. 10.	Selectmen	Appropriation	500.00
Dec. 15.	State Treasurer	State Aid	1,943.63
	Bay State Bank	Interest	.19
	Bay State Bank	Interest	2.78

Dec. 21.	W. J. Nelson	Returns from manual training	7.73
	Bay State Bank	Interest	1.82
Mar. 25.	Selectmen	Appropriation	750.00
	Bay State Bank	Interest	.28
April 17.	Selectmen	Appropriation	700.00
May 21.	Selectmen	Appropriation	650.00
June 12.	Selectmen	Appropriation	600.00
June 17.	Town of Chester	Tuition	60.00
June 30.	Selectmen	Appropriation	2,500.00
June 30.	W. J. Nelson	Revenue from Manual Training	9.29
	Total Receipts.		$12,161.76

Auditors Certificate:

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the Treasurer of the school district of Hampstead, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1930, and find them correct in all respects.

MAURICE I. RANDALL,
ADIN E. LITTLE,

July 1, 1930. Auditors.

FINANCIAL REPORT
of the
Hampstead School District.
Fiscal Year July 1, 1929—June 30, 1930.

Receipts:		
Equalization Fund for elementary schools. (State Aid)	$1,943.63	$1,943.63
Income from local taxation:		
Support of Elementary Schools	5,587.05	
Support of High School	1,529.85	
Salaries, District Officers	177.00	
Per Capita Tax	362.00	
Insurance Administration, Insuring Bus Driver, Supts. Excess Salary	547.50	
		8,303.40

From Sources other than taxation:		
Dog Licenses	156.40	
Elementary School Tuition	90.00	
Income from local trust funds	1,440.20	
Other Receipts	26.47	
		1,713.07
Total Receipts from all sources		$11,960.10
Cash on hand July 1, 1929.		201.66
Grand Total		$12,161.76

Expenditures: Administration.	Total	General Expenses	High School	Elem. Schools
Salaries Dist. Officers	$ 177.00	$ 177.00		
Instruction:				
Teachers' Salaries	6,140.50		1,440.50	5,050.00
Text Books	305.21		128.12	177.09
Scholars' Supplies	457.23		251.96	205.27
Flags & Appurtenances	15.81		1.11	14.70
Other Expenses Instruction	81.08		56.63	24.45
Operation & Maintenance:				
Janitor Service	363.50		183.50	180.00
Fuel	492.69		234.29	258.40
Light & Janitors Supplies	110.71		70.71	40.00
Minor Repairs & Expenses	1,173.83		566.13	607.70
Auxiliary Agencies & Special Activities:				
Medical Inspection	221.60		37.10	184.50
Transportation	975.00			975.00

Fixed Charges:				
Tax for Supervision				
($2 per capita)	362.00	362.00		
Insurance	87.50	87.50		
New Equipment	185.17	185.17		
Total Payments	$11,873.66	$1,186.50	$2,970.05	$7,717.11
Cash on hand at end of year June 30, 1930	288.10			
	$12,161.76			

BALANCE SHEET.

Assets June 30, 1930.		Liabilities June 30, 1930.	
Cash on hand	288.10	None	
Unexpended on Appropriation	3,837.76		
Total Assets	4,125.86	Surplus	4,125.86
Grand Total	$4,125.86		$4,125.86

JOHN S. CORSON,
MARY N. LITTLEFIELD,
THORNDIKE PUTNAM,
School Board.

W. J. NELSON,
Superintendent.

July 1, 1930.

Certificate:

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with public laws 1926, Chapter 68:22, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

JOHN S. CORSON,
MARY N. LITTLEFIELD,
THORNDIKE PUTNAM,
School Board.

Auditors Certificate:

This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the school board of Hampstead, of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1930, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

MAURICE I. RANDALL,
ADIN E. LITTLE,

July 1, 1930. Auditors.

SCHOOL BOARD'S BUDGET FOR 1931-1932.

School District of Hampstead.

School Boards statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory requirements of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1931.

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES.

	High	Elem. Schools
Support of schools		
Teachers Salaries	$3,285.00	$4,500.00
Text Books	200.00	200.00
Scholars Supplies	300.00	200.00

Flags & Appurtenances	5.00	15.00
Other Expenses of Instruction	75.00	20.00
Janitor Service	150.00	500.00
Fuel	200.00	431.50
Water, Light & Janitor Supplies	100.00	125.00
Minor Repairs & Expenses	150.00	125.00
Health Supervision (Medical Inspection)	36.38	184.50
Transportation of Pupils		2,550.00
Other Special Activities		25.00
	$4,501.38	$8,876.00

Other Statutory Requirements:		
Salaries of District Officers (Fixed by district)		177.00
Truant Officer & School Census (Fixed by district)		22.25
Supt. Excess Salary (Fixed by Supervisory Union)		236.05
Per Capita Tax (Reported by State Treasurer)		362.00
Payment of District Debt.		1,100.00
Interest on District Debt		1,100.00
Other Obligations Administration $75. Supt. Administration $45.		120.00
		$3,117.30
Total Amount Required to Meet School Board's Budget		16,494.68
Balance June 30, 1931. Estimate.	$1,528.38	
State Aid (December 1931)	2,420.81	
Dog Tax Estimate	150.00	

Income from Trust Funds Estimate	950.00	
		5,049.19
Assessment Required to meet School Board's Budget		$11,445.49

JOHN S. CORSON,
MARY N. LITTLEFIELD,
THORNDIKE PUTNAM,
School Board.

To apply for State Aid $4,525.94 must be raised for elementary schools.

Births, Marriages and Deaths

Registered in the

TOWN OF HAMPSTEAD

For The Year Ending

DECEMBER 31, 1930

Births Registered in the Town of Hampstead for the Year Ending December 31, 1930

Date of Birth	Place of Birth.	Name of Child (if any)	Sex & Con: Male or Female	Living or Stillb	No. of Child.	Color.	Name of Father.	Maiden name of Mother.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother
1930										
Jan. 16	HaverhillM	Louise E. Ordway	f	l	1	w	Chas. W. Ordway	Dorothy M. Putney	Hampstead	Sandown
Feb. 19	Hampstead	— Sargent	f	s	7	w	Stephen Sargent	Rosa Johnson	Exeter	Hampstead.
Jan. 9		Roberta M. Wall.	f	l	9	w	Walter H. Wall	Bertha McKim	Newbury, Mass	Lynn, Mass
1929										
Oct 4		Robert E. Collins	m	l	3	w	Perley Collins.	Adelle Chase	Danville	Hampstead
1930										
June 26	HaverhillM	— Moody	f	l		w	Charles E. Moody.	Marion G. Wheeler	Warick	Wenham, Mass
July 20	Hampstead	Cecil L. MacGlashing	f	l	5	w	Charles T.MacGlashing	Fannie B.Burk	Amerst,N. C.	Rockland, Mas
3		Evelyn M. Johnson	f	l	7	w	John Johnson	Bertha Kaulback	Hampstead	Truro, N. S
Nov. 20		Jean L. Lawrence	f	l	1	w	Hazen M. Lawrence	Armola D. Tebbetts	New Bedford,Mass	Bradford, Mas.

I hereby Certify that the above retarns are correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CHARLES A. BROOKS, Town Clerk.

Marriages Registered in the Town of Hampstead for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1930

Date	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age of each	Color.	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Condition.	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
1930 Jan. 12	Hampstead	T. Edward Lemoine...	WinchesterMas	31	w	Salesman	Bath, Me...	Napoleon Lemoine....	2	Chas. A, Brooks
								Laura Velesky.....		Justice of the Peace
		Wanda E. Stewart ...	Medford,Mass	24	w	Tel. Oper	Lubec, Me...	Williard R. Stewart. ..	1	Hampstead
13	...	Peter J. Wallace	Roxbury Mass	23	w	Chauffear	So. BostonMs	Alma Cousins		
								Peter Wallace.....	1	Chas. A. Brooks
		Hazel White.....	Hampstead ...	24	w	Clerk	Somerville,M	Anna Vannas.....		Justice of thePeace
								Edwin B. White.	2	Hampstead
Feb. 22	....	Hazen M. Lawrence...	....	20	w	Salesman	New Bedford Mass.	Beatrice Campbell.....		
								Geo. H. Lawrence.....	1	C. A. Purdy
		Armola D. Tebbetts....	....	19	w	Shoe maker	Bradford,Ms.	Maude L. Wood..		Clergyman
								Bert E. Tebbetts.....	1	Hampstead
Mar. 22	....	John C. Willey.....	Haverhill, Mas	24	w	Woodheel	Haverhill,Ms	Jessica L. Henderson .		
								John C. Willey	1	C. A. Purdy
		Frances A. Chase.....	....	20	w	...	HamiltonMss	Nora Harrington.....		Clergyman
								Benj. C. Chase	1	Hampstead
22	....	Percy E. Little.....	Hampstead....	28	w	Concaver	Hampstead..	Henrietta Smith.....		
								Adin S. Little	1	C. A. Purdy
		Esther I. Evans... ...	Malden, Mass..	24	w	At home.	FaymouthNB	Fannie C. Emerson....		Clergyman
								Richard Evans.... ...	1	Hampstead
Apr. 25	....	Bradley Fuller.....	Hamilton, Mas	25	w	Assemblr	GeorgtownMs	Jessie E. Craig.....		
								Erford C.Fuller.....	1	Charles A. Brooks
		Marjorie E. Colby,.....	NewburyportM	19	w	At home.	Newburyport Mass	Marion B. Priest.....		Justice of thePeace
								John Colby	1	Hampstead
May 11	Newfields..	Benjamin B. Fuller....	Lawrence,Mass	24	w	Teller	Derry	Florence Fuller.....		
								William J. Fuller	1	Edmund F. Quirk
		Marie B. V. Collette..	Hampstead...	19	w	Shoe worker	Hampstead..	Ada Spaulding.....		Priest
								Joseph C. Collette.....	1	Plaistow
								Lea Fountaine...,... .		

MARRIAGES CONTINUED.

Date.	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age of each	Color	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of Each.	Names of Parents.	Condition.	Name, Residence and Official Station of Person by whom married
1930 June 14	Hampstead	Leon T. Pelletier	Boston. Mass	34	w	Engineering	Somersworth	Francis E. Pelletier...	1	Charles A. Brooks Justice of the Peace Hampstead
								Josephine Garette,. ...		
		Gladys M. Blazukonis.	Lawrence, M	23	w	Clerk	Lynn, Mass.	Peter Blazukonis.....	1	
								Martha Luback.		
July 29	...	Clifton E. Emerson ...	Hampstead..	30	w	Grocer	E. Tilton,....	Newton E. Emerson .	2	Charles A. Brooks Justice of the Peace Hampstead
								Abbie Harriman.....		
		Eunice M. Foote,...	...	29	w	Nursing	Webster.....	Joseph W. Patten.... .	2	
								Georgie A. Powers... .		
Aug. 22	....	Frederick T. Counter..	Lowell, Mass	25	w	Salesman	Lowell, Mass	Frederick T. Counter..	1	Charles A. Brooks Justice of the Peace Hampstead
								Lila E, French		
		Ita G. Coalter..	....	19	w	At home	....	Thomas L. Coalter.....	1	
								Annie Dolan.....		
Oct. 15	....	Charles G. Tate...	Brookline,Ma	52	w	Engineer	Altoona,Pa..	John Tate.....	2	Charles A. Brooks Justice of the Peace Hampstead
								Margaret Inlow.		
		Helen C. Brayton	Waban, Mass	56	w	House wife	Boston, Mass	Herbert C. Putman....	2	
								Mary Cheney		
Nov. 15	....	Frederick U. Hardy . .	Haverhill.Ms	21	w	Clerk	Lawrence Ms	Fred Hardy.....	1	Charles A. Brooks Justice of the Peace Hampstead
								Louise Koestner		
		Grace C. Campbell.....	....	21	w	Yarnh'nd	...	George Campbell..... .	1	
								Margaret Taylor.....		
23	Plaistow..	James F. Wall.....	Lynn. Mass..	47	w	Clerk	Ireland.....	James Wall	1	Edmund F.Quirk Priest Plaistow
								Margaret Ahern		
		Adeline M. Allison,....	E.Hampstead	41	w	At home	E. Hampsted	Cyrille Allison,.... ...	1	
								Hermine Vigneault....		
Dec. 31	Hampstead	William Hoeffner.. ...	Methuen, Mss	38	w	Hand finishing	Lawrence,Ms	William F Hoeffner...	2	Charles A. Brooks Justice of the Peace Hampstead
								Emily Bower.....		
		Agnes Bradbury.....	Lawrence.Ms	32	w	Clerk	....	Fred Bradbury	1	
								Harriet Maude, ...		

MARRIAGES CONTINUED

Date	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age of each	Color.	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of Each.	Names of Parents	Condition	Name, Residence and Official Station of Person by whom married
1930 Dec. 24	E. Hampstd	Irving Leighton.	E. Hampstead.	72	w	Grocer...	Nottingham.	George H. Leighton... Nancy J. Shaw.....	2	George L. Fish Clergyman Plaistow
		Emily Clark.....	Dover.....	64	w	Dress maker	N. H.....	George S Martin ... Amanda M. Patten....	3	

I hereby certify that the above returns are correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CHARLES A. BROOKS, Town Clerk.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF HAMPSTEAD FOR YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1930

Date	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age. Year.	Month.	Day.	Place of Birth.	Sex.	Color.	Single, etc.	Occupation.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother
1930												
Jan. 13	Hampstead	Mary Putnam	79	11	20	Hampstead	f	w	w		Edmund Noyes	Emiline Ela
22	E. Hampstead	Everett A. Miles	65	4	13	Lynn, Mass	m	w	m	Farmer	John Miles	Harriet Childs
26	Manchester	Ellery Tabor	57		10	Hampstead	m	w	m	Retired	John W. Tabor	Mary A. Little
Feb. 3	Hampstead	Alice S. Pyne	65		6	Rockport, Mass	f	w	w		Peter Doyle	Sophia Duade
11		Lorena F. Heddeman	22	2	23	Hampstead	f	w	s	At home	J. F. Heddeman	Alice Paige
19		— Sargent					f	w	s		Stephen Sargent	Rosa Johnson
Mar. 15		Jennie E. G. Hastings	64	5	13	Salem	f	w	m	Housewife	Charles Tibbetts	Mary Brown
5	Haverhill, Mass.	Maraner G. Chase	77	6								
10		Mary J. Kimball	62	2	9							
Apr. 19	Hampstead	Mary E. Spollett	73	11	29	Chester	f	w	s	Retired	Frederick Spollett	Abbie Bartlett
20		Roscoe C. Marden	53	0	28	Candia	m	w	m	Shoeworker	John E. Marden	Etta Bly
16	Amesbury	Hamlin S. Martin	75	8	13							
May 8	E. Hampstead	Charles A. Hoyt	77	8	17	E. Hampstead	m	w	w	Farmer	Stephen Hoyt	Olive Whittier
13	Hampstead	Flora A. Leighton	77	1	7	Plaistow	f	w	m	Housewife	Charles W. Clow	Eliza Kelley
18		Rufus C. McNeill	82	6	5	Atkinson	m	w	m	Retired	Edmund McNeill	Abigal Cronk
July 23		Amasa W. Hunt	74	2	5	Marshfield, Mass	m	w	m	Farmer	Isaac N. Hunt	Jerusha Bourne
Aug. 31		Eva A. Abbott	82	10	22	Nova Scotia	f	w	m	At home	Charles Merier	Eliza Cowell
Oct. 12	Haverhill Mas	Joseph S. Joslin	65	9	23	Newport, N.J.	m	w	m	SRPatrolm'n	William F. Joslin	Ruth A. Newcomb
29	E. Hampstead	Martha O. Eaton	79	5	24	E. Hampstead	f	w	m	At home	Samuel Morse	Sarah Shannon
29	Hampstead	Lucius M. Darbee	73	7	25	Danville	m	w	m	Shoeworker	James Darbee	Augusta Challis
Nov. 3		Henry W. Tabor	70	2	25	Hampstead	m	w	m	Shoeworker	John W. Tabor	Mary A. Little

I hereby certify that the above returns are correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CHARLES A. BROOKS, *Town Clerk*.

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